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## FINNISH-RUSSIAN WAR

By CLARENCE J. BROWN  
Member of Congress,  
Seventh Ohio District

The Finnish-Russian peace of late last week has been the main topic of discussion in Washington since the pact was announced. The harsh terms of the agreement, the failure of England and France to give material aid to Finland, and the possible results of last week's developments, are all receiving close scrutiny and careful analysis. Of course, every eye is giving Finland great credit for the remarkable fight that nation put up against the Russian invaders. The courage of the Finnish people in defense of their homeland against impossible odds will live in history for all time. No one can criticize Finland for accepting the inevitable after fighting to exhaustion. In defeat Finland has the admiration of the world.

The end of hostilities between Russia and Finland does not mean that American aid is no longer needed. In fact, the Finnish people will now need America's help as much as during the days of the war. Her material resources, including much needed food supplies, are gone as a result of the recent conflict. Many of her cities and villages have been destroyed, and thousands of her people are homeless. Her factories, utilities and public buildings have been greatly damaged. The Mannerheim Line no longer protects her and new military equipment and defenses are necessary for future safety. So Ex-President Hoover continues his work in obtaining civilian aid for Finland. The twenty million dollar loan from the United States Export-Import Bank, as authorized by Congress, will now be used for rehabilitation purposes. The American people should not lose interest in Finland's plight simply because the guns have ceased firing.

Close students of international affairs claim that England and France bungled badly when they failed to come to the aid of Finland quickly after the Russian invasion began. Finland and the Scandinavian countries have now been forced into closer relationship with Germany than ever before. Other neutral nations are beginning to study the advisability of having as friendly relations as possible with Germany, for it was Germany, after all, that won the most as a result of the Finnish-Russian peace pact. She no longer has the threat of war disturbances, or the threat of her own involvement, or the Scandinavian peninsula. The Reich can now get needed iron ore and other supplies from Sweden and Finland. With Russian armies no longer in the field, wheat and oil from the Soviet will soon be reaching Germany in increasing volume. German technicians are planning the harnessing of Russia's great man-power and material resources for the production of food and military supplies for the German armies. The picture in Europe has not been brightened by the peace that has come to Finland.

Much criticism is also being heard of English diplomacy and leadership. It is argued that England, in a diplomatic sense, has moved from one blunder to another in her conduct of foreign affairs since the world war. France, to a lesser degree, and as a follower of English policies, is also being criticized. The first mistake made by the allies, it is claimed, was when permission was given for Germany to begin re-arming. Next came the failure to prevent Germany from occupying the Rhineland. In quick succession came Germany's invasion of Austria and Czechoslovakia, to be followed by the tragic capitulation at Munich, and the destruction of both Czechoslovakia and Poland. England is being accused of vacillation, of failure to foresee and forestall the building of Germany's war machine, and of having been too slow in strengthening the British military establishment to meet the German threat. England may have found it impossible, at the time, to live up to her treaties and obligations with and to the smaller democratic powers. However, all of that does not save England from serious criticism and even more serious loss of prestige and influence.

As a result of all these recent happenings the impression is fast growing that if peace does not come in the European war quickly, and the full fury of a hard fought, far flung and lengthy struggle breaks, England and France are in far more danger of ultimate defeat than they were in the World War. In the struggle of 1914 to 1918 England and France had Belgium, the Netherlands, Russia, Italy, and finally the United States, on their

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## COURT NEWS

**FORECLOSURE ACTION**  
Foreclosure of a chattel mortgage is the object of a suit filed against George A. Burton and others by the American Loan and Realty Co., which claims \$240 is due from the defendants on a note. Judge George H. Smith is attorney for the plaintiff.

**NOTE SUIT FILED**  
Claiming \$192.75 is due on a note the U. S. Tire Dealers Corp., 1101 Central Parkway, Cincinnati, has filed suit against Horace Mosman and Darryl Shely, doing business as Mosman and Shely of Jamestown, seeking to recover a judgment for that amount.

**DIVORCE GRANTED**  
Two divorce decrees have been awarded by the court as follows: Clara Pittman from John Pittman, on grounds of gross neglect and cruelty, with the plaintiff restored to her former name; Leah Babb from Earl Babb, on grounds of gross neglect, with the plaintiff given custody of a minor child.

**ELECTION TAKEN**  
Clara Kyle, plaintiff in a partition suit against James C. Kyle and others, elected to take real estate involved in the case at its appraised value of \$38 an acre.

**NOTE JUDGMENT**  
A. M. Bryan has recovered a note judgment for \$885 in a suit against P. F. Shely, according to court records.

**WILL PROBATED**  
Disposing of an estate with an estimated value of \$31,500, the will of Harry S. LeSourd, late secretary of the Home Federal Savings and Loan Association, who died Feb. 13, has been admitted to probate. The court appointed Woodie H. LeSourd as executrix of the estate, without bond.

**ESTATES APPRAISED**  
Five estates have been appraised under probate court direction as follows:  
Estate of Joseph McCabe: gross value, \$6139.47; obligations \$1191; net value, \$4948.37.  
Estate of Robert Blaslaw: gross value, \$400; obligations, \$150; net value, \$250.  
Estate of Michael Kearney: gross value, \$354.94; obligations, \$111.71; net value, \$243.23.  
Estate of Oscar Evans: gross value, \$337.55; obligations not listed.  
Estate of Laura G. Adair: gross value, \$3125; obligations not listed.

**TWO SEEK DIVORCES**  
Exactly nine months after their marriage the defendant abandoned her, Luella Holsinger, Lake St., charges in a divorce complaint filed in common pleas court against Foster Holsinger, Buena Vista, Scioto County. She seeks the decree on grounds of gross neglect of duty, requesting custody of a minor child and allowance for support. They were married Feb. 27, 1937 and her husband left home Nov. 27 of that year, the plaintiff declared.

Charging her husband with wilful absence from home for nearly twelve years, Jeanette Thompson brought suit for divorce from William Thompson, whose whereabouts are unknown to her. She requests custody of a minor child. They were married June 24, 1926, according to the petition.

**ALIMONY BOUGHT**  
An alimony award, custody of a minor child, attorney fees and division of personal property are requested in a petition filed by Martha Filson against Melvin Filson, Fairground Rd., whom she married Jan. 18, 1938. She charges gross neglect of duty in the form of non-support.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES (Granted)**  
Foster Cunningham, Wilmington, retired farmer, and Nellie Flo Dunlap, New Burlington, R. R. 1.  
Ottie E. Storer, Xenia, R. R. 2, farmer, and Verda Mae Shaw, Xenia, R. R. 2.  
Ernest M. Truman, Jamestown, carpenter, and Clara Louise Pittman, Jamestown.  
George W. Gray, Patterson Field, Fairfield, army cook, and Benita May Williams, Osborn, R. R. 1.

**CLAIM APPROVED**  
Involving the payment of \$1,500, compromise settlement of a personal injury damage claim of Warren Miller, 15, Dayton, R. R. 6, against the Dayton Power and Light Co., has been authorized by probate court, upon application of Herman G. Miller father and guardian of the boy.  
The youth, according to court records was burned and permanently scarred when he came in contact with a live wire which had been left unguarded and unprotected within twenty inches of a building at Miametown.

## PRIMARY TO INTEREST ALL UNTIL MAY 14

The following are the candidates who will seek nominations to statewide offices in the May-14 primary in Ohio, (X) = Democrat, (D) = Republican.

**U. S. SENATOR**  
Republican: Dudley A. White of Norwalk, Harold E. Burton of Cleveland, Charles E. Wharton of Kenton.  
Democrat: John McGraw of Wooster, Herbert S. Bigelow of Cincinnati.

**GOVERNOR**  
Republican: John W. Bricker of Columbus (X), Addison Q. Thacher of Toledo.  
Democrat: Harold G. Mosier of Cleveland, James F. Flynn of Sandusky, James R. Marker of Columbus, W. J. Kennedy of Cleveland, Herbert S. Duffy of Columbus, George White of Marietta, M. L. Dancy of Kent, Frank A. Dye, of Columbus.  
**LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR**  
Republican: Paul H. Hebert of Columbus (X).  
Democrat: John Taylor of Salem, Harry J. Hulse of Akron, Robert S. Cox of Millersburg, Price James of Canton, W. H. White of Ironton, Mark E. Moore of Youngstown, Charles H. Hubbell of Cleveland, R. M. Winegardner of Washington, C. H. John W. Patterson of Cincinnati, E. P. Buckenmyer of Toledo, James F. Cody of Columbus.

**SECRETARY OF STATE**  
Republican: Earl Griffith of Mt. Gilead (X), Edward J. Hummel of Cincinnati.  
Democrat: William H. Kroeger of Akron, John E. Sweeney of Cleveland, E. Matthew Stutz of Williamsport, Ray Allison of Columbus, John J. Kennedy of Cleveland Heights, James C. Doughton of Cleveland, Earl Kennedy of North Olmsted.

**STATE AUDITOR**  
Republican: Joseph T. Tracy of Columbus, James Dunn of Lakewood, Fred C. Hayes of Berea, Harold M. Fross of Springfield, Robert R. Bangham of Wilmington, Leo P. Johnson of Rocky River, Herbert Hoover of Akron.  
Democrat: Joseph T. Ferguson of Columbus (X), J. C. Cox of Youngstown, John D. Boyle of Marietta.

**STATE TREASURER**  
Republican: John H. Dwight of Akron (X).  
Democrat: Clarence H. Kinsley of Bainbridge.

**ATTORNEY GENERAL**  
Democrat: Kenneth B. Johnston of Columbus, Joseph L. Heffernan of Columbus, Edward Lamb of Toledo, Joseph C. Allen of Columbus, George D. Nye of Waverly, Charles A. Canano of Cleveland.

**SUPREME COURT (JAN. 1)**  
Republican: Clinton D. Boyd of Middletown, Harrison W. Jewell of Delaware, John J. Hyman of Lakewood.  
Democrat: Charles B. Zimmerman of Springfield (X).  
**SUPREME COURT (JAN. 2)**  
Republican: Gilbert Bettman of Cincinnati.  
Democrat: Harold F. Adams of Columbus, William C. Dixon of Cleveland, Judge McBride of Columbus.

**CONGRESS AT-LARGE**  
Republican: L. L. Marshall of Euclid (X), George H. Bader of Cleveland (X), Lowell Foss of Yellow Springs, Dale Dutton of Columbus.  
Democrat: Stephen M. Young of Cleveland, Robert J. Myers of Columbus, Joseph M. Sullivan of Springfield, Francis W. Drabbin of Lima, John H. Turner of Cleveland, Kent Buchanan of Cleveland Heights.  
File this list away for future information.

## Health Roundups Are Planned In Greene Co.

Health round-ups for children entering school for the first time next fall will be started by the health department, March 25, and continue through April 8.  
The schedule follows: March 25, Bowersville, morning; Jamestown, afternoon; March 27, Brigid, Xenia, afternoon; March 27, Yellow Springs, morning; Cedarville, afternoon; March 28, Lincoln, Xenia, all day; March 29, Orient Hill, Xenia, morning; Ross, afternoon; April 1, Ballbrook, morning; Bowersville, afternoon; April 3, Bath, afternoon; all day; April 4, Spring Valley, morning; April 5, McKinley, Xenia, all day; April 6, Spring Hill, Xenia, all day.

**NEWSMAN DIED SATURDAY**  
Claude C. Waltemeyer, publisher for last President Warren G. Harding and several Ohio governors, died Saturday. During his career, Waltemeyer served on Friday, Toledo and Upper Meriden newspapers.

**APPOINTMENTS MADE**  
Charles H. Moore as administrator of the estate of Ott. Mann, late of Greenecreek Twp., under \$1,000 bond.

## Ohio Supreme Court Gives Clerk Bricker Administration Break

The Ohio Supreme Court rendered an important decision Wednesday when the Bricker administration was given authority to discontinue provisional Davey appointments outside of the civil service list where there had been no examination.

Some months ago the same court rendered an opinion which if it had been allowed to stand would have nullified the purpose and intent of civil service and made it impossible to discharge employees that were not actually needed. Davey had appointed several hundred employees during his last primary campaign for political purposes and the Bricker administration found no use for them.  
All departments were loaded in this way by Davey and when the present administration wanted to reduce the cost of state government by abolishment of the jobs, some six hundred suits were filed in Columbus Courts to compel the Bricker administration to re-instate ousted appointees.  
The last decision will enable the displacement of every re-instated employee with the discharge of several hundred more that are still on the pay roll.

## Shorthorn Breeders To Hold Annual Show

The Ohio Shorthorn Breeders' Association, oldest livestock association in the United States opens in Columbus Thursday and Friday for its annual show, dinner and sale.  
The dinner will be at 7 p.m. Thursday in Pomerene Hall, Ohio State University, with H. J. Granlich, secretary of the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association, Chicago, as the speaker. His subject is "More and Better Livestock." Dr. Carl W. Gay, chairman of Ohio State's animal husbandry department, will be the toastmaster.  
Set for 9:30 a.m. Friday is the show followed at 1 p.m. by the sale. These events will be at the State Fairgrounds.  
Professor Thomas D. Phillips of Ohio State is secretary of the Ohio association, which dates back to 1875. J. B. McCordle of the university's animal husbandry department is a member of the banquet committee.

## Big Demand For Mann Stamps

Henry J. Grote new Yellow Springs postmaster who assumed his new duties Saturday, succeeding Harry L. Hackett, reported a big demand for the special one-cent stamps honoring Horace Mann founder of Antioch College, when they were placed on sale at the Yellow Springs Post Office, one day after they were officially released Friday at Boston, Mass.  
Congressman Clarence J. Brown, of the Seventh Congressional District, made repeated but unsuccessful attempts to have the commemorative stamps, part of the "Famous Americans" series, issued in Yellow Springs, where the pioneer educator closed his career, on the same date as their official release in Boston.  
Postmaster Far'ry held that it had been the rule to issue special stamps in one town or city for one day only for the benefit of those who gather and commercialize in new issues. Stamp vendors ask high prices for first issue stamps.

## Fish And Game Meeting March 26

A special meeting of the Greene County Fish and Game Association has been called for Tuesday March 26, 1940, at 8:00 P. M., in the basement of the Court House at Xenia.  
The main purpose of the meeting is to conduct the annual election of officers. Other business in order is the annual report of the auditing committee and the determining of a spending policy to be followed during the coming fiscal year.  
All members of the Association and all sportsmen interested in the activities of the Association are urged to be present.

## Farmers Oppose Use Of Lard Substitutes

At a recent gathering of Clark county farmers sentiment was unanimous in support of Cong. Clarence J. Brown in demanding that the government purchase only pure lard instead of substitutes as a means of helping the farmer out of the New Deal five cent hog market. The Herald was complimented for carrying the full news story of the government purchase of substitutes. Sentiment was adverse to cooking schools in as much as lard substitutes were featured only. One farmer stated that Springfield newspapers had discontinued the cooking school feature.

## F. F. A. Judging Team Ties for First Place

Left to right Wallace Collins; O. K. Swallen, Instructor; Carl Watkins; Ronald Anderson and Wallace Brudtute.  
The above boys who were selected to represent the Cedarville F. F. A. tied with the Sidney High School in the State Little International Livestock Judging Contest, Saturday, March 9. The contest was held at the Ohio State University College of Agriculture.  
The large trophy presented the teams will be kept by each school for six months. None of the boys were on the Cedarville team last year which also won first place in the same event.  
Wallace Collins won the distinction of scoring the highest number of points in the State. The boys were coached by O. K. Swallen, Vocational Agriculture Instructor in the local school.

With Friday last the dead line for filing petitions for the primary for both political parties, there were several names added that had not appeared in the news columns in the previous weeks.  
The office of sheriff proves to be the most attractive in the county with nine Republicans listed; and three Democrats.  
The Republican candidates are: Charles M. Conner, Harry E. Jackson, Oscar S. Hull, Harry Hiles, Walton Spahr, J. William Fudge, Robert A. McDorman, Steve G. Phillips and Harry J. Hill. Democrat: George Hinkel, present sheriff, Ralph E. Davis and Edward L. Downing.  
Those who have no opposition in their own party for nomination are Prosecutor Marcus Shoup; Clerk of Court, Earl Short, Treasurer Harold J. Fawcett, Coroner H. C. Schick and George D. Ackerman, deputy county engineer, on the Republican side.  
The following is the list of other candidates before the primary: (Commissioner—2 to nominate) Republican—Ralph O. Spahr, C. F. Greer, Walter N. Stewart and Mel F. Beal.  
Democrat—James H. Hawkins and Ralph Kendig (incumbent), James R. Soward and Joseph Hockett. (Representative) Republican—W. R. McChesney (incumbent) and Frank M. Chambliss. Democrat—E. Dawson Smith. (Recorder) Republican—E. D. Hearty (incumbent) and Leroy Wolf. Democrat—Ralph S. Bartley, C. H. Bales and H. E. Harden. (Clerk of Courts) Republican—Earl Short (incumbent). Democrat—Wilbur E. Pitzer. (Engineer) Republican—George D. Ackerman. Democrat—Henry W. Walsh (incumbent). (Treasurer) Republican—Harold J. Fawcett (incumbent). (Prosecutor) Republican—Marcus Shoup (incumbent). (Coroner) Republican—H. C. Schick (incumbent).

## SCHOOL NEWS

Evangelist Visits School  
Rev. Harry Fagan, who has been conducting evangelistic services at the New Jasper Church, accompanied by the pastor of that church, Rev. Samuel Williams, gave the assembly last Friday a demonstration of how a person can, with the help of God, overcome physical handicaps.  
Able to see only slightly, and that through closed eyelids, he attended the public schools and later the school for the blind, educating himself for the ministry. After making his audience laugh by his clever imitations of farm animals he gave a very inspiring account of how he had been able to overcome his handicap. He then sang several religious songs, accompanying himself with the piano and accordion.

Uncle Caesar says "Ah's fix'n to git ready to be at the Opera House on April 12. Ah hopes to see you all there."  
Honor Society Initiation  
Last Friday evening in an impressive candlelight service at the school auditorium, the Omega Chapter of the National Honor Society initiated and received into its membership the following seniors: Wallace Collins, Vera Mae Fields, Dorothy Gerhardt, Eleanor Luttrell, John McDowell, Gail Shaw and Lovetta Truesdale.  
Refreshments were served followed by a program and business meeting with Betty Rowe, Vice President and Pauline Ferguson, Secretary-Treasurer.

Mike Mary Struwing  
Last Wednesday morning the entire Senior Class with Supt. Furst and Miss Rife attended the funeral of Mary Struwing a member of the class of 1940.  
The family has the sympathy of the entire school.

O. T. C. Honored  
The Our Times Club, which consists of the Senior Civics Class, was honored Friday morning, March 15, by having Dr. W. R. McChesney of Cedarville College tell them how a bill is brought up, discussed, and passed or vetoed in the House of Representatives.  
Dr. McChesney also told us how the House is organized, where the members of each party sit, and how they carry on business.

Class Play  
Be sure to reserve the evenings of April 25 and 26 for the Senior Class Play.  
Senior Scholarship Test  
The Senior Scholarship Test for the entire county will be held in Xenia, Saturday, March 30.  
Don't miss seeing Lena Rivers, the Junior class play, on Friday, April 12.

Spelling Results for March 15  
Seventh Grade, 99.76; Juniors, J-Z, 99.25; Sophomores, J-Z, 99.14; Sophomores, A-H, 98.85; Freshmen, M-Z, 98.8; Sixth Grade, 98.55; Freshmen, A-L, 98.47; Juniors, A-H, 98.35; Eighth Grade, 98.19; Fifth Grade, 98.15; Fourth Grade, 97.88; Seniors, 96.88; Special (Grades) 93.8; and Special (H. S.) 85.5.

Good Friday Services  
Students and teachers of each study hall are planning to attend the services at the Methodist Church on Friday afternoon from twelve to three o'clock.

Basketball Game  
Cedarville F.F.A. boys played the Jamestown F.F.A. boys in basketball on the Jamestown floor last Wednesday, March 15. There were three games and Cedarville won all three by a score of 18 to 5, 20 to 16, and 12 to 9.

## TWO MEMBERS TO BE NAMED IN DISTRICT

In order that the citizens of Greene county may have more opportunity of voicing their opinions on conservation questions, a meeting of sportsmen and farmers of the county will be held at the Court House in Xenia on March 28, 1940 at 8 p.m. It was announced Tuesday. All existing sportsmen's organizations and farm organizations, as well as individual sportsmen and farmers are urged to attend and it is expected that the attendance will be large as there has been general statewide interest in the recently announced new program of the Ohio Division of Conservation and Natural Resources.

Not only will the new 15-point program announced by Conservation Commissioner Don Waters be explained but a county conservation committee will be formed and two representatives, one a farmer and the other a sportsman, will be named to represent Greene county on the district conservation committee. From each of the seven district committees two representatives will be selected, it is announced, to act as spokesmen for the district at public hearings conducted by the Conservation and Natural Resources Commission and to attend, upon invitation, meetings of the Commission, acting in an advisory capacity.  
"We hope to be able to serve the people in a more efficient manner in this way," Mr. Waters stated recently in commenting upon this method of giving closer representation to the sportsmen and farmers of each county and in announcing the program adopted by the Commission which provides for district field headquarters in each of the seven conservation districts of Ohio. "There is no effort on our part," he said, "to supplant regularly established sportsmen's and farm groups but rather to encourage them, as well as individuals, to participate in these county meetings."

Establishment of headquarters in the seven districts, the Conservation and Natural Resources Commission feels, will develop a closer contact with local conservation groups, eliminate travel and expense of persons who heretofore have been compelled to travel to the central offices in Columbus, as well as co-ordinate all of the activities of the Division under the direction of a district supervisor. District conservation officers already employed by the Division will be placed in charge of these offices as soon as they are established and all game management, fish management, law enforcement and other activities will be carried on from these offices.  
Anthony Pfarr, who will serve as supervisor in District No. 6, of which Greene county is a part, will call the meeting to order, turning it over to officers to be selected by those attending the meeting. Representatives of the Ohio Division of Conservation and Natural Resources will be present to fully explain the plan and to aid in every way possible.

## 40 Peach Crop Drop Predicted

Ohio's 1940 peach crop will be far below normal because of the severe winter weather, W. Dale Elftib, of the bureau of markets of the State Department of Agriculture, predicted Saturday.

Buds on Elberta trees in some parts of the important commercial area in Ottawa County survived the freezing temperatures but in the rest of the northern section of the state this variety was seriously damaged.  
In Ashland and Lake Counties it is estimated that a crop of from 5 to 10 per cent on this variety will be realized this year. Some of the harder varieties survived but the harvest of all varieties will not be more than 50 per cent of normal, it was estimated.

## Trade Treaty Brings In Foreign Wool

A dispatch from Boston Tuesday gave wool imports for last week at the Boston market at \$5,880,964 pounds. This was 2 1/2 times the volume for the corresponding week in 1939. For the fiscal year ended in July the imports amounted to 11,140,000 pounds compared with 4,951,000, the previous year. And yet Mr. Wallace goes on the 26 to submit the International Free trade treaty on livestock to the American people. Under this treaty the American market is for the foreign wool grower who cannot find a market in his own country.

**NOTICE**  
The Boy Scouts will collect pennies and magazines on the morning of Wednesday, March 28.



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## DEATH TRAPS

Twenty-seven dead, 15 injured is the toll of the worst grade crossing accident in Texas history. The train struck a truck carrying workers to the vegetable fields. The result, says a woman witness, was "the most horrible thing I have ever seen." Short of war's mass slaughter, that disaster might well rank among the most horrible things anybody had ever seen.

The story and its photographs drive home the grade crossing danger as no amount of mere safety preaching could hope to do. For all that, the lives lost in the Texas tragedy represent but a small fraction of the number lost every year in similar crashes. A grade crossing killing here, another there, may be individually less impressive, but their total runs annually to four figures.

Grade crossing accidents took 1875 lives in 1937, more than in any preceding year since 1930. Of these, auto-train collisions accounted for 1,607. In addition 5,136 persons were injured.

Grade crossing elimination is a costly and consequently a slow process. New crossings to some extent offset the gain of old ones abolished. No excuse remains, of course, for the many crossings unguarded by watchmen, automatic gate or any warning signal. Where such devices are in use the careless may ignore them. With shocking conviction the Texas tragedy points the peril and its challenge.—Dayton News.

## PRESIDENTIAL DENIAL WITHOUT PROOF

Once again the White House must resort to public denial of a published statement relative to the fact that Postmaster General Jim Farley is a Catholic and for that reason is out of consideration as a candidate for president on the Democratic ticket.

Not so long ago FDR intimated in a public statement that a dangerous whispering campaign was being conducted but he did not indicate where. All Washington knows it was in the deep south and southern congressmen and senators were hearing from the folks back home. The second subject was the many divorce suits since the Roosevelts moved into the White House.

Early this month a reporter for a syndicate sent his papers a story tipped to him by high up Democrats in the administration that Roosevelt had informed one congressman the reason why Farley could not be considered as his successor. He explained it would be another Al Smith debacle. After the publication of the story FDR was asked at his press conference to comment on the story but his reply was that he had not read it. Another press conference and he made no denial.

Last Sunday Postmaster Farley delivered a speech in reply to the published statement credited to Roosevelt. Politicians took up the subject and things began to get embarrassing to Democratic leaders for down in Atlanta, Ga., the KKK got busy at once. Tuesday, Roosevelt, openly charged the story as made out of the "whole cloth," yet fifteen days intervened from the time of first publication until his denial. All the Washington correspondents have taken up the denial in defense of the writer of the story who now says those who informed him may lose their jobs as a result.

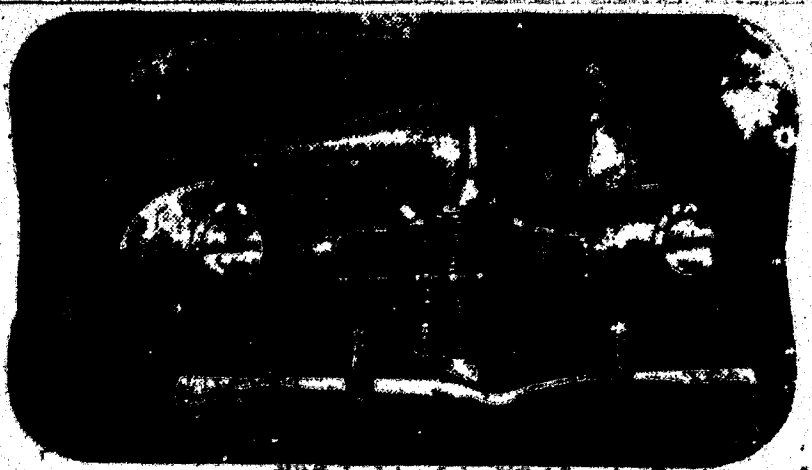
Such a situation hardly supports Mr. Roosevelt's denial.

## INDIVIDUAL OPPORTUNITY FOUNDATION OF PROGRESS

Thomas Jefferson, referred to by some historians as "the father of the patent system," was in fact the first patent examiner. When the patent question first came up, Jefferson was opposed to granting patents for they hinted at monopoly; but when he saw how the government, by giving patent rights, stimulated invention, he became an immediate advocate. Since 1900, it has been estimated that 100,000 new products have been placed on the market as the result of American ingenuity inspired by the patent system.

Let's not forget this today when government attempts to curb the profit opportunity to the vanishing point, or abuse government privileges and power by competing with private enterprise. Whether you are an inventor who thinks he is deserving of reward for his accomplishments, or a fellow on a job earning a salary, you like to feel that opportunity and the possibility of personal reward are always ahead of you.

You grow with the times. Your community is constantly progressing. The reason is that the American people are an enterprising people and want to go ahead; not because they are a selfish people, but because they are proud of their freedom and the right to receive rewards for their own endeavors as individuals living in a free country. This was reasoned out in the days of the molding of our present United States and by great men who were responsible for the evolution of this country from a wilderness to the world's leading industrial and scientific nation.



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## Do you stay at home each Tuesday night?

No doubt thousands are found around the roadside more regular than if a "Friday Chat" was on schedule. That pot of gold in the attraction even if you get to gold, just a check for a thousand or so. The amusement field has been a heavy loser by this Tuesday night program and in some places picture show houses have combined on a certain type of drawing for prizes but the pot of gold just naturally keeps on at home.

Few knew it until last Saturday when the radio informed us that it had been 150 years since Palm Sunday and March 17th, or St. Patrick's Day, came on the same day.

A New York paper carries pictures of huge tractor plows turning over sod for spring crops that had been in pasture the past 150 years. Even numerous golf club grounds are being broken for farm crops due to a shortage of grain and meat products as a result of the war blockade. Planned agriculture is expected to sustain England as never before. This means that much less market for our own farm crop surplus. England is now buying most of her wheat and meat in Argentina.

What is Civil Service and what for? It makes no difference what your views may be on civil service since Ohio courts have tinkered with the law, it evidently means one thing one place and something else another. Down in Cincinnati a city policeman was fired because he was intoxicated and had gone to sleep on his beat. He brought suit to be reinstated and a Common Pleas Court ruled that his conduct did not warrant discharge. The city appealed and the Circuit Court last week reversed the lower court and confirmed the discharge of the policeman.

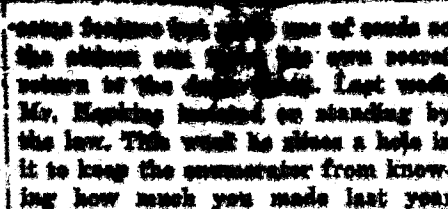
Those who try to mix gasoline and liquor and drive automobiles had better watch their step in Springfield. Orders have gone out that all motorists taken up for intoxication must be sent to the city hospital where the medicine give you the breath, stomach and finally the blood test for alcohol. It is said that few will care to take this test a second time. It is more severe than a \$100 fine with days suspended. The city now has a speed campaign on and it is \$1 a mile over the speed limit with the policeman testing your breath.

States rights just at present is a big issue in the south when the federal government under the New Deal is trying to upset a Democratic tradition of nearly a hundred years. In Oklahoma Gov. Phillips, Dem., is using the State Guards under arms to check the completion of a huge government dam that will flood hundreds of thousands of acres of the finest farm land. Gov. Phillips claims it will cost his state nearly \$800,000 for construction of new bridges just as soon as the dam water gates are closed. The New Deal only offers the state \$325,000. Work was stopped with the soldiers holding the fort. Another issue is that land owners have not all been paid for their land.

In dear "Old Jaws," FDR's adopted state, Democratic Governor Rivers, was placed under arrest by U. S. Marshall's while on the stage giving an address before a body of school teachers. Gov. Rivers removed a highway director whom he named because he was not using economy in the 29 million highway program in the state. The ousted official, who was bodily thrown out of office by the militia, sought aid in Federal courts and Rivers was arrested for contempt in a New Deal court. It was a case Rivers claims of the federal government butting in. Georgia school teachers have not been paid for months and the Governor ordered a transfer of highway funds temporary to pay back salaries. It is safe to predict the Georgia school teachers are with the Governor who has for a wife one of the most beautiful women in the state. Loyal was she for she rode with hubby and the U. S. Marshall to federal court.

Gracie Allen, radio star, is running for president on numerous programs "because it has been a long time since we have had a woman in the White House."

Sen. Tobey N. H. Dem., has been warning Secretary Harry Hopkins on the census issue and the list of questions the Communist element in the New Deal has cooked up to ask witnesses. Harry says it is the law and Sen. Tobey asks him to "show me the law and when did a department ruling become the law?" Roosevelt says indirectly that Sen. Tobey is the only senator that ever advised the people to defy the law. F. D. R. has not counted noses in Congress on that issue. Senators did ask FDR as to his authority once for the law that permitted him to name son, Jimmy at \$10,000 a year, as secretary. No answer. The census law is for the counting of citizens not making a record as to the kind of privy may be in the house or on the rear lot. Meaningless. Sen. Hopkins informs those that will represent him not to insist on the in-



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275-300 lbs.	4.50
300 lbs. up	4.45 down
160-180 lbs.	5.30
140-160 lbs.	4.50
120-140 lbs.	3.90
100-120 lbs.	3.45
Fat Sows	3.75 to 3.95
Stags	2.80
Pigs	4.00 down
CATTLE—147 head	
Best Heifers	7.15 to 7.90
Med. Heifers	5.75 to 6.90
Best Fat Cows	5.00 to 6.05
Medium Cows	4.00 to 5.00
Thin Cows	3.50 to 4.00
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## Pinocchio



The new Walt Disney feature, "Pinocchio," hanging up new attendance records wherever shown, is from G. Colliod's story, for seventy years a prime favorite with adults as well as children. It is the basis for Disney's version of the fantastic adventures of the puppet who was brought to life. Pinocchio opens at the State Theater Springfield, Ohio on Thursday.

## Hotel Fountain Square

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 With  
 Miriam Hopkins  
 PLUS  
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 Thurs. Mar. 21 1 P.M.

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Walt Disney's  
 Lovable  
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 "Pinocchio"  
 Full Length  
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 Winner of  
 "Gone with the Wind"  
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 With  
 CHARLES LAUGHTON  
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## FAIRBANKS

"Ma He's Making Eyes at Me"  
 With Tom Brown and  
 "Pioneers of the West"  
 SUN. MON. TUES.

## OHIO

"Four Wives"  
 And  
 "Come On Leathernecks"  
 SUN. MON. TUES.

## The Pick of the Clowns

Trust the Family to Pick the Movies

## Local

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## Local and Personal

Mrs. F. E. Reynolds is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mrs. J. H. Reynolds in Moscow, O.

Mrs. E. A. Starnes is reported quite ill at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Galloway.

Mrs. Stella Curren has returned home after spending the winter in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Baughman spent the week-end in Columbus and while there attended the commencement exercises of Ohio State University, during which their daughter, Carmella Miller was granted her Master's degree in English.

Dr. R. A. Jamieson preached in the United Presbyterian Church of Dayton, Wednesday evening.

Special Good Friday services are being held in the U. P. Church today at half-hour intervals from noon until three o'clock. The theme is: "The Seven Words from the Cross." The speakers will be Dr. R. A. Jamieson, Rev. Walter Kilpatrick, Dr. David Markle, Dr. F. A. Jurkat, Rev. B. N. Adams and Dr. W. R. McChesney.

### DESSERT BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Ernest R. Gibson, North St., was hostess last Friday to two groups, one in the afternoon and the other in the evening at dessert-bridge. Sixteen guests were served in the afternoon and twelve guests during the evening. The appointments were in keeping with St. Patrick's season. Mrs. James Miller and Mrs. Harold Ray of Xenia, were among the guests.

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### BENEFIT BRIDGE GIVEN BY CEDAR CLIFF D.A.R.

Guests for fourteen tables were entertained at a benefit dessert-bridge party given by Cedar Cliff Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at the home of Mrs. Walter Purdom, of Cedarville, Saturday afternoon.

A dessert course, with St. Patrick's Day appointments, was served at the beginning of the games.

Prizes were awarded at each of the tables and other prizes were presented. Mrs. Harold Reinhard, Mrs. J. E. Kyle, Miss Charlotte Turner, Mrs. Lucy Turner, Mrs. Ernest Gibson and Mrs. William Lafferty.

Hostesses assisting Mrs. Purdom were Mrs. George Gordon and Mrs. Mac Harris.

Proceeds from the party will be used to purchase American flags for the Cedarville school and for other D. A. R. activities.

### EASTER SUNDAY SERVICE

On Easter Sunday evening the Cedarville College Choir under the direction of Mrs. Mary C. Markle will present the Easter Cantata, "The Resurrection Song" by Roy Nolte in the Presbyterian Church at 7:30 o'clock.

The following program will be presented:

- "Christ the Lord is Risen" Choir
- "Hear Ye the Story," Alto Solo
- "Ossadee Stewart"
- "Hail, King of the Jews" Choir
- "Father Forgive Them" Choir
- "The Wondrous Cross" Choir
- Solo by Royden Johnson
- "There Was" Girls Trio and Choir
- "O Holy One, As It Began To Dawn" Solo, Ted James
- "As It Began To Dawn" Choir
- "Come, See The Place" Choir
- "Awake, Thou That Sleepest" Choir
- "Sing The Resurrection Song" Men's Chorus
- Tenor Solo by Ted James
- "Alleluia! Christ is King" Choir
- "Whoever Believeth" Choir
- "Now is Christ Risen" Choir

### MAY ENTER COMPETITION

Acting independently, rural Greene County schools may send representatives to the state high school scholarship contest May 4 in Columbus without first holding a countywide test, County Supt. H. C. Aultman announces. As the matter now stands, only Xenia schools and possibly Osborn Beth will compete.

### TEST WELL DOWN 700 FEET

The test well on the farm of Dr. Henry, Jamestown, located on the Huesey pike is down 700 feet but so far there have been no signs of gas or oil. The Sun Oil Co. holds the lease.

### NEW RAMBLE CARR

Dog Warden A. C. Murray reported a new positive case of rabies in Clark County Saturday.

He said he discovered a dog which had bitten a horse on the farm of Henry Schindler on U. S. Route 24, near Nelson.

## AT WAFFLE SUPPER

Mrs. Mary Williamson, was hostess to a group at her home Friday evening. Waffle suppers were enjoyed for the table decorations.

Those present were Mrs. Lucy Barber, Mrs. E. E. Little, Mrs. Ethel Rank, Mrs. Anna Wilson, Mrs. Cora Trumbo, Mrs. Wilbur Lumsden, Misses Mary Pennington, Alberta and Bertha Owens, Joels Charbon, Mildred Trumbo and Mary Williamson.

## HOME CULTURE CLUB

ENTERTAINED BY MRS. WEST

In keeping with the observance of Holy Week, a sacred program was presented at the March meeting of the Home Culture Club at which Mrs. J. S. West was hostess at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Fifteen members and ten guests responded to roll call by naming "Women of the Bible." Mrs. G. W. Steele read a paper on "The Greatest Book in the World—the Bible" and Mrs. C. E. Masters presented a paper on "The Heroic Queen—Esther."

Mrs. Cora Trumbo reviewed the legend of St. Patrick and Mrs. David Markle, accompanied by Mrs. Montgomery West, sang "Calvary." The program closed with prayer by Mrs. George Hamman.

Plans were discussed for the annual "great day" meeting at the home of Mrs. B. N. Adams in April.

A social hour followed the program and a salad course was served by Mrs. West.

"We will help you to buy a home," Cedarville Federal Savings & Loan Assn.

Greene county has been granted \$1,481 relief funds by the state while Xenia received \$787.

Miss Maude Hastings of Kent, O., is home for the Easter vacation.

Mrs. Aden Barlow visited in Columbus last week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barlow.

Cong. Clarence J. Brown of Blanche, stopped in town for a short visit Thursday.

Cedar Cliff Chapter D. A. R. will meet with Mrs. H. C. Aultman of Xenia Tuesday evening, March 26 at 7:30 P. M. Mr. W. W. Galloway is the guest speaker for the evening. Mrs. J. S. West is assistant hostess.

Mr. Robert Cotter, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Marshall, who moved recently from Springfield and are residing with their parents on the Townsley road, was taken ill in Springfield, Wednesday, with an attack of appendicitis and was taken to the City Hospital. He was reported much improved Thursday and an operation will not be necessary at this time.

Mr. W. D. Marshall and wife of Springfield have moved to their farm on the Townsley road. The house is being wired for electricity and otherwise improved. R. M. Swaney, former tenant, has moved to the Walter Booth farm on the Kilgore road near the London prison farm.

Mr. Cecil Nolte and family have moved to the Studevant property on the Columbus pike east of town.

Mr. Virgil Stanforth has moved to the Harvey farm on the Federal pike in Ross Twp.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mills, of the Dunkle farm, Murdock road, have moved to the Harris farm, formerly known as the Charleston farm near East Point school house.

Mr. John Irwin of Jamestown, well known here, suffered a paralytic stroke several days ago, and we are informed he is in a very serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Eavens who have been residing in Jamestown, moved to this vicinity this week.

## CHURCH NOTES

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Raymond Strickland, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.  
Services, Freezing, 5:00 p. m.  
Mid-week Meeting, each Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN**  
Ralph A. Jamieson, Minister  
Sabbath School 10 A. M. Supp. Home Finlay.

Church Service 11 A. M. The Choir, under the direction of Miss Josephine Auld, with Miss Lena Hastings, organist, will present the Easter cantata "The Risen King," by P. A. Schnecker.

There will be reception of new members and Baptism of children. May every member be present to unite in Praise to the Risen King.

The Young People's Societies of the three churches are uniting in a sunrise Easter service in the Presbyterian Church at 6:30 A. M. This has some to be an annual service and very much in keeping with the proper observance of Easter.

Y. P. C. U. 6:30 P. M. Subject, "Easter—Love Invincible."

Union Service 7:30 P. M. in the Presbyterian Church. The college musical organization will present an Easter Cantata, under the direction of Mrs. D. H. Markle.

Choir Rehearsal Friday 7:30 P. M. All members will please notice that Friday is the evening.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Lulu Watt.

Women's Missionary Society will meet Monday at 2 P. M.

The Annual Congregational meeting will be held Wednesday, April 10. All reports should be in prior to that date.

### THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. Benjamin N. Adams, Minister  
Easter Sunday, March 24, 1940  
6:00 A. M.—Church bells call to sunrise service.

6:30 A. M. Easter Sunrise Service under the auspices of the young people of the three churches. At the Presbyterian Church.

7:15 A. M. Easter Breakfast at the Presbyterian Church for the convenience of those who attend the Sunrise Service. (15 cents)

9:45 A. M. Sabbath School orchestra. 10:00 A. M. Sabbath School, Mr. H. K. Stenmet, Superintendent. Classes for all ages.

11:00 A. M. Worship Service. "Risen" an Easter Cantata by Charles H. Gabriel, will be presented by the choir.

7:30 P. M. College Easter Cantata at the Presbyterian Church.

Monday—

7:30 P. M. Session Meeting at the Manse.

Wednesday—

7:30 P. M. Orchestra practice.

8:00 P. M. Choir rehearsal.

Thursday—

2:00 P. M. Missionary meeting at Mrs. Harriman's.

Saturday—

4:00 P. M. Communicant's class.

### METHODIST

David H. Markle, Minister

Easter Sunday, March 24, 1940—

6:30 Easter Sunrise Service in the Presbyterian Church.

7:15 Easter Breakfast.

10:00 Sunday School.

11:00 Morning Worship—Sermon Theme "Easter Island." Those having the Lenten Offering Boxes are requested to bring them to the morning service.

6:30 Epworth League.

7:30 Cedarville College Choir Easter Cantata "The Resurrection Song" in the Presbyterian Church.

Wednesday, 8:00—Mrs. Depew Head will give another book review under the auspices of the Young Women's Missionary Society.

Papering and Painting Season. If possible arrange now. Have yours done before the rush season. See A. B. McFarland.

For Sale—Corn. A. J. Furry.

## Household Hints

By BETTY WELLS

"HAT'S my best color," commented Dottie Young as she admired the lovely old blue of her living-room walls. And it does bring out her eyes and makes her skin simply bloom.

She used her old mulberry twist weaver rug, then hunted to find curtains of a pinkish cast but verging toward a pale mulberry tinge rather than the usual peach tone. This was a rayon gauze that hangs delicately but it's not really transparent. She followed this tone through a deep pinkish lavender which she quilted and used as a slip cover for a pair of chairs. All the other furniture she slip-covered in a sprawling floral on a light beige ground but with deep purple-reds in the pattern—almost mulberry they were.

Crystal for accents, lilacs and lavender sweet peas and iris and delphinium are Dottie's favorite flowers here. She highlights them with pink flowers when she can get just



### A Becoming Room for Dainty Dot.

The right pink. Flat silver frames for her pictures made unexpectedly distinctive details, and her silver tea set repeated that note.

Dottie herself is usually to be found in something trailing and creamy colored, or else in simple pastel line that goes so well with her eyes and that room.

The reason this room pleases us so much is because it not only suits dainty Dot, but it has substance enough to match her broad shouldered gray tweeded Henry. And the furniture coverings can stand a growing family since they all zip on and off for cleaning.

**Italian Furniture**  
"I went on a European trip and shipped home from Italy some very beautiful Renaissance furniture, including a desk, book-case and two Dante's chairs—all hand carved in a very dark wood (almost black) which I placed in my living room. I made two chairs red velvet cushions for the two chairs," wrote one of our readers.

"My three-piece living room set of taupe mohair does not go well with this other furniture, and I would like to have re-upholster my three pieces with some sort of damask or get something new. The background of my rug is a dark red scattered with dark blue, green and yellow (a Persian hunting scene). We have a new rug to get a new living room set, and if so, what period or style and what color should I get to go with my Italian pieces? Or if I would re-upholster the ones I have now what colors should I have the three pieces and



### When We Went on a European Trip.

what material? I have beige Venetian blinds and I use no curtains. What color and what kind of material should I get for draperies? Should I get a floral pattern or striped?

"My dining room is small—8 by 11 and very near my living room. I saw a very pretty India druggist rug. Do you think it would be appropriate? What would you suggest?"

Here are our prescriptions: If the living room furniture isn't too fat and overstuffed looking, it could be reupholstered and used with the Italian pieces. If it is too bulbous looking, reupholster with heavy but straight line pieces. These can be quite as comfortable as the other type. In any event, we'd like dark dull red for this—either damask or brocade velvet. But we'd not have the chairs the same. Old blue would be our choice for these two chairs. A third upholstered chair could be in a deep dull gold. A blocked linen on a natural ground might be a good idea for the draperies—something with a large scale motif and a Renaissance type of design. Tall brass lamps and accessories of brass would be appropriate and attractive here, and for the wall perhaps a reproduction of an early Italian painting.

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### Tips on Redecorating

When redecorating a room the first step to consider is which furnishings to keep and which to replace or re-upholster. Determine which colors will predominate in them before selecting the colors for your walls and ceiling. Well-tinted slip-cover add a note of freshness to the room. They can also repeat the chintz of your curtains or introduce a new color note.

### L. T. MARSHALL DID NOT FILE FOR CONGRESS-AT-LARGE

Attorney L. T. Marshall, Xenia, did not file for the Republican nomination for Congressman-at-large, though petitions had been circulated for the place. Lowell Ford, Yellow Springs has qualified and will make a statewide campaign. He says he will have a hill-billy band accompany him to entertain the crowds after the fashion in which a Texas governor was nominated and elected.

## COLLEGE NEWS

Dr. McChesney spoke at the First Presbyterian Church in Loveland Tuesday evening. He will preach the sermon at the service sponsored by the Federated Council of Churches at Central Reformed Church in Dayton for Good Friday. On Easter Sunday he will preach the sermon at Old First Presbyterian Church, Sandusky.

Rev. Kilpatrick and Mr. Derst, in the interest of the College, attended a meeting of the Presbyterian Women's Club at Walnut Hills, Cincinnati. The meeting was held at the First Presbyterian Church in Walnut Hills. This group has in the past contributed toward College scholarships.

Several girls of the Physical Education Department represented Cedarville College at the annual "Play Day" at the University of Cincinnati, Saturday.

Dr. McChesney addressed the Girl Scouts of Springfield at Neal Temple, Tuesday, March 12th.

Rev. Kilpatrick will speak at the Easter Sunrise Service to be held at the Presbyterian Church.

Spring vacation begins Wednesday, March 27th, at noon and ends Tuesday, April 2nd.

The College Choir will present a cantata "The Resurrection Song" by Nolte Sabbath evening at 7:30 P. M. in the Presbyterian Church.

### COMMERCIAL CLUB PROSPECTUS JUST OFF THE PRESS

The Commercial Club prospectus is just off the press and a number of copies will be placed in the hands of a Chicago representative that has made a local survey and will try and interest manufacturers looking for a new site to investigate the possibilities here. It is a complete historical sketch of the various advantages from the standpoint of manufacturers. The Commercial Club has ordered a limited number of copies for the campaign only. Citizens desiring copies can obtain same at this office at 15c each, including sales tax.

### LAST BOOK REVIEW

Mrs. Depew Head will give her last book review on Wednesday night, March 27th. She will review "How Green Was My Valley" by Richard Llewellyn—the "find" of all the Spring novels.

### POOL YOUR WOOL!

Consignors to the Ohio Wool Growers Cooperative received 7 cents per pound above the state average price last year. If you want full value for your clip, market it the Co-op way. If you desire will buy outright or pool your wool.

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## COZY THEATRE

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In—

"HENRY GOES ARIZONA"

News—Crime Does Not Pay

Sun. and Mon., March 24-25

Mickey Rooney—Lewis Stone

In—

"JUDGE HARDY AND SON"

News-Pete Smith-MGM Miniature

## SCHOOL NEWS

### Pre-School Round Up

The County Health Department requests that the following parents bring their children to the Pre-School Round Up who will be entering school next fall for the first time in the First Grade: Herman Rex, Ernest Bingham, Walter Bones, Manfred Carroll, James Canner, Clarence Cornell, John Davis, William Ferguson, Albee Grooms, Harry Hamman, Clarence Hartenstein, Asa Jones, Charles Kavanaugh, Robert Kennedy, Marion Peterson, Homer Pollock, Fred Poole, Lester Reed, D. Roberts, Virgil Stanforth, Charles Spurgeon, Dewey Steele, John Stewart, James Stewart, James Shaw, Jesse Shaw, Joseph

### BOY SCOUT BANQUET

All boy scouts and their parents are requested to reserve Tuesday evening, April 2, 6:30 P. M. for a covered dish dinner to be held at the First Presbyterian Church.

Paul Hengel, Scout Executive in this district, will be the speaker. Also, any prospective scouts and their parents are invited.

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## "SIDEWALKS OF LONDON"



"Sidewalks of London" co-starring Vivian Leigh (the Academy Award Winner of "Gone With the Wind") with Charles Laughton, will speak at the Majestic Theatre Springfield, Ohio Saturday with a previous Friday night. Vivian (Gone With the Wind) Leigh comes to Xenia before she leaves for London. It is seen by his greatest show.

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